

Calendar of Opportunities

SUNDAY	10:00 AM	Sunday School
	11:00 AM	Morning Worship
	1:30 PM	Sabine/Smith Bridal Tea
	4:00 PM	Praise Band Practice
	5:30 PM	Jr. & Sr. High MYF
	5:30—7:00 PM	Summer Bible Study
TUESDAY	11:00 AM	St. Andrew's Women's Group
WEDNESDAY	5:45 PM	Wednesday Night Supper
	6:30 PM	Chancel Choir Practice
	6:30 PM	"The Chosen" Bible Study
	6:30 PM	Youth Bible Study
THURSDAY	6:30 AM	Youth Prayer Breakfast
NEXT SUNDAY		

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REACH THE LOST, NURTURE THE FAITHFUL, BUILD GOD'S KINGDOM

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May 3, 2026

FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

COLOR: WHITE

Chiming of the Hour

Prelude First Suite in Eb, Intermezzo

Welcome and Announcements

* *Opening Prayer*

* *Hymn #88 (verses 1, 2, & 4)*

* *Affirmation of Faith #691*

DARLENE STOCKTON

RUSH HOUR SAXOPHONE QUARTET

"Love Divine All Loves Excelling"

"The Apostles' Creed"

**I believe in God, the Father Almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.
I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord.
He was conceived by the Holy Spirit
and born of the Virgin Mary.
He suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried.
He descended to the dead.
On the third day he rose again.
He ascended into heaven,
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.
He will come again to judge the living and the dead.
I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic Church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting.
Amen.**

Ushers Distribute Registration Pads

Special Music

"When The Saints Go Marching In"

RUSH HOUR SAXOPHONE QUARTET

Offertory "My Funny Valentine"

**Doxology #684*

RUSH HOUR SAXOPHONE QUARTET

"Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow"

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him, all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host;
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host;
Praise Father, Son, praise Father, Son,
Praise Father, Son, praise Father, Son,
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

Morning Prayer/The Lord's Prayer

**Our Father, who art in heaven,
hallowed be thy name.
Thy kingdom come,
thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread.
And forgive us our trespasses,
as we forgive those who trespass against us.
And lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom,
and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.**

Children's Time

Scripture

John 14:1—14

Sermon

"Do You Know The Way to Heaven?"

Holy Communion

(see screens)

* *Hymn #418 (verses 1—3)*

"Let Us Break Bread Together"

* *Benediction*

* *Choral Benediction #268 "He Is Lord"*

CHOIR & CONGREGATION

He is Lord! He is Lord!

He is risen from the dead and He is Lord!

Ev'ry knee shall bow, ev'ry tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord.

(one time only)

* *Postlude*

DARLENE STOCKTON

Rush Hour Saxophone Quartet

Director—Christy Griffith

Cohen Watson—Tupelo

Hayden Caples—Pontotoc

Grant Cook—Neshoba Central

Ben Shumpert—Mooreville

Rease Colburn—Amory



The **Man Church** will meet **Tuesday, May 12th, at 6:00 p.m.** All guys from youth to senior adult are invited to take part. No book to buy. No prep to do. Just show up!

- † If you would like to be part of the **Ordination Choir at Annual Conference** please sign-up through the website at: ms-wtngmc.org/ac2026.
- † If you or someone you know are **dealing with grief after the loss of a loved one** please pick up a flyer available in the narthex.
- † **M28 is July 2—5! Youth** the remaining balance of **\$220** is due by **May 1st.**

Financial Update

Budget for 2026: \$420,129
 Needed weekly for Budgeted Expenses: \$8,080
 Needed to Date: \$145,440
 Actual Offerings to Date: \$135,125

St. Andrew's Sassy Seniors (And Down Right Ornery Ones!)	Luncheon May 18th 10:30 a.m.—1:30 p.m. Food—Games—Fellowship
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† St. Andrew's is hosting a **Bridal Tea** in honor of **Noelle Sabine**, bride-elect of **Patrick Smith, today** from **1:30** until **2:30 p.m.** in the parlor.

† **Praise Band** will practice today at 4:00 p.m.

† **Jr. & Sr. MYF** will meet today at 5:30 p.m.

† **Summer Bible Study will meet tonight from 5:30—7:00 p.m.** Bro. Kris will lead a study on the Book of Acts. No book to buy. Bring Bible, notepad, etc.

† The **St. Andrew's Women's Group** will meet in the church parlor **this Tuesday, May 5th, at 11:00 a.m.**

† **Wednesday Night Suppers** will continue each **Wednesday at 5:30 p.m.** When you sign the registration pad today, **please indicate if you plan to attend the supper** and how many family members will eat regular menu and how many will eat child plates. (Put a number like this: 2/2 beside your name.) **We must have a count!** If you miss church, call the church office tomorrow morning to let us know if you will attend.

BBQ w/Sides Dessert

Regular Plate: \$10.00

Child's Plate (age 5—10): **\$5.00** (age 5 and under eat free)

† **Chancel Choir** will practice Wednesday night at 6:30 p.m.

† **Youth Bible Study** will meet Wednesday night at 6:30 p.m.

† **"The Chosen" Bible Study**, led by Bro. Kris, will meet each Wednesday night at 6:30 p.m.

† **Youth Prayer Breakfast** will meet **Thursday, 6:30 a.m.** at the **Country Kitchen** across from Walmart. Transportation to school will be provided following the breakfast.

Prayer List

Hospital:

Members:

Dot/James Burrow	John David Carlisle	John Issac Cox
Tom/Nina Crook	Carolyn Fowlkes	Sue Grissom
Virginia Harris	Robbie Huffman	Bill Ingersoll
Valerie Jaynes	Ray Jones	Martha Journey
Maxine Pickle	Jay/Jasmine Roberts	Mary Frances Salter
Annette Smith	Darlene Stockton	Laverne Williams

Extended Church Family:

Date: 4/26/26

Marcia Archer (surgery 4/30)
Ruby Knight
Betty Lantrip
The McKillop Family (loss of loved one)

Date: 4/19/26

Phil Adair
Ardie Larkins (Sister of Ron Nye)
Darlene Shirley (Cousin of Debra Lay)
Praise Report! Cancer Free

Date: 4/12/26

Charlene Coleman (Sister of Irene Westbrook)
Barbara Crawley (Sister of Donna Griffith)
Ronnie Harrison Family
Shawn McGuire
Haigen & Kayla McSpadden (Expecting twin boys)
Chris Seay (Surgery 4/14)

Military:

Colter Gruchy, Gulfport
Austin Interrial (Husband of Karli Pearson Interrial), South America
Thad LaPorte (Brother of Jotham LaPorte)

Service of Holy Communion

The Invitation

Christ our Lord invites to his table all who truly love him, who earnestly repent of their sin and seek to live in peace with one another.

The Confession

Therefore, let us confess our sin before God. (All pray in silence)

The Pardon

Hear the good news:

Christ died for us while we were yet sinners;
that proves God's love toward us.

In the Name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven!

In the Name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven!

Glory to God. Amen

On the night in which he gave himself up for us,
Our Lord Jesus took bread, gave thanks, broke the bread
gave it to his disciples, and said:

“Take, eat; this is my body which is given for you.

Do this in remembrance of me.”

Likewise, when the supper was over, he took the cup,
gave thanks, gave it to his disciples, and said:

“Drink from this, all of you, this is my blood of the new covenant, poured out
for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins.

Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me.”

And so, in remembrance of these your mighty acts in Jesus Christ, we offer
ourselves in praise and thanksgiving
as a holy and living sacrifice, in union with Christ's offering for us, as we
proclaim the mystery of faith:

Christ has died; Christ is risen; Christ will come again.

Pour out your Holy Spirit on us gathered here,
and on these gifts of bread and wine.

Make them be for us the body and blood of Christ,
that we may be for the world the body of Christ,
redeemed by his blood.

By your Spirit make us one with Christ,
one with each other, and one in ministry to all the world,
until Christ comes in final victory and we feast at his
heavenly banquet.

Through your Son Jesus Christ, with your Holy Spirit in your Holy Church,
all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and forever.
Amen.

BREAKING THE BREAD

GIVING THE BREAD AND CUP